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NOTES

In the interest of librarians and members who bind the REVIEW, the managing editor regrets that by a printer's error, the June issue was numbered on the cover as No. 3. It should have read No. 2, as on the first page. The *Bulletin* carries a cumulative number, including the REVIEW; the latter its own separate numbering. It is hoped that with the beginning of the second volume this apparent confusion may be avoided.

Since the last issue of the REVIEW there have been added to the membership of the American Economic Association 167 new members and subscribers. The total membership (July 20, 1911) is 2,160.

The Chamber of Commerce of New York has appointed a special committee on commercial education. One of the members of this committee is Mr. George T. Brett, President of the Macmillan Company. Mr. Hepburn, president of the Chamber, at the last annual meeting devoted a considerable part of his address to the subject.

The Sixth Dry Farming Congress will be held at Colorado Springs, Colorado, October 6-20, 1911.

A conference on Canadian reciprocity was held by the Western Economic Society, June 3, 1911. An account of the proceedings will be found in the *Nation*, June 8. Among those who took part were Professor E. V. Robinson, Professor W. A. Scott, Professor F. W. Taussig, Professor David Kinley, and Professor H. P. Willis.

The American Academy of Political and Social Science announces the publication of the following volumes: *Risks in Modern Industry*, in July; and *Stock and Produce Exchanges*, in September.

Professor Francis G. Peabody of Harvard University has prepared a pamphlet *The Social Museum as an Instrument of University Teaching* (Cambridge, Harvard University, 1911, pp. 43). This contains a classified list of collections in the Social Museum of Harvard University, February 1911. The collection is largely made up of photographs and diagrams, all of which are specifically listed and thus made available for investigators.

Dr. James Ford of the same university has published a pamphlet, *The Housing Problem, A Summary of Conditions and Remedies*, prepared to accompany the Housing Exhibit in May, 1911, of the Harvard Social Museum (Cambridge, Harvard University, pp. 39). In

addition to a brief topical treatment is a catalogue of exhibits and a list of books on the subjects of housing and city planning.

The Macmillan Company will shortly publish a work on *Insurance*, by Dr. W. F. Gephart of the Ohio State University. The volume will treat of the theory, principles, and practices of insurance, including the actuarial, economic, and social aspects of the subject. It will be comprehensive in scope, including treatment of life, industrial, accident, and health insurance, as well as employers' liability.

George Harding (64 Great Russell St., Bloomsbury, London, W. C.) has published a new catalog, *Bibliotheca Economica* of old and modern books and pamphlets. There are some 3000 titles, classified by topics.

Professor Waentig of Halle announces three new volumes: J. S. Mill's *Principles* (1848); Sismondi's *Nouveaux Principes* (1819); and Quetelet's *Sur l'Homme* (1835); in the *Sammlung Socialwissenschaftlicher Meister*, issued under his editorial direction by Gustav Fischer of Jena. The reprints will appear, like the earlier numbers of the series, in German translation, in convenient form, and at exceedingly moderate price. Earlier issues are Turgot, List, Ricardo, Malthus, Smith, von Thunen, and Stewart.

The publishing house of Julius Springer (Montbijouplatz 3, Berlin N. 24) announces the publication of a new periodical "Annalen für soziale Politik und Gesetzgebung," edited by Dr. Heinrich Braun. It will make a special point of social politics and social legislation. Dr. Braun has for sixteen years past been the editor of "Archiv für soziale Gesetzgebung und Statistik."

The Library of the Bureau of Labor at Washington has recently been overhauled and recatalogued and is now classified according to the system adopted by the Library of Congress. The Bureau Library aims to be a working reference library and is especially rich in sets of official publications relating to labor in the leading countries of the world; it has practically complete files of reports of bureaus of labor both of the United States and of foreign countries, of labor councils, of workmen's insurance institutions, and has attained some measure of success in collecting files of the leading American labor journals. At present the Library contains about twenty thousand volumes besides a large collection of pamphlets. The facilities of the Library are usually extended to properly accredited investigators.

Mr. Horace W. Wadlin, formerly chief of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor, has prepared for the Bureau of Statistics *Carrol*

Davidson Wright, A Memorial (Boston, 1911, pp. 359-404). This will appear as a part of the *Fortieth Annual Report* of the Bureau. Special attention is given to the part Colonel Wright played in the development of labor statistics.

Appointments and Resignations

Dr. G. B. L. Arner, instructor in economics at Dartmouth College, retires from teaching to enter upon literary work.

Mr. Charles B. Austin who has had charge of the instruction in economics at the Grinnell College, Iowa, during the past year, has been appointed instructor in economics in the University of Texas.

Mr. Holmes Beckwith, who took his doctorate degree at Columbia this summer, has accepted a position as instructor in economics at Dartmouth College.

Dr. Theodore H. Boggs, formerly instructor in Yale University, has been made instructor in economics at Dartmouth College.

Mr. John Graham Brooks has been appointed lecturer at the University of California during the first half of the current academic year.

Mr. Harold H. Burbank has resigned his position as instructor in economics at Dartmouth College. He will continue courses of study at Harvard University.

Professor Robert E. Chaddock, of the University of Pennsylvania, has been called to Columbia University as assistant professor of statistics. Professor Chaddock, together with Professor Henry L. Moore, will develop the statistical laboratory.

Mr. F. S. Chapin has accepted a position as instructor in economics at Wellesley College.

Dr. Edwin J. Clapp of Yale University has accepted a position as assistant professor in the School of Commerce, Accounts, and Finance, New York University.

Dr. M. T. Copeland, who has been abroad during the past year on a Sheldon travelling fellowship, making a special study of the cotton industry, has accepted a position at New York University, as instructor in economics and sociology. He is also to give a course in the School of Commerce on European industry and trade.

Professor Daniels has resigned his position in Princeton University to take effect June, 1911, but will continue to live in Princeton and will lecture regularly on public finance. His academic place has been filled by the appointment, in June, of Frank A. Fetter, professor of economics and distribution at Cornell University, who becomes professor of

economics in Princeton and takes up his work there in September. His work will be in general economics, the history of economic thought, and the modern theory of distribution.

Dr. A. S. Field, recently of Dartmouth College, has accepted a position with the Bureau of Railway Economics in Washington.

Mr. C. E. Gehlke has accepted a position as instructor in sociology at Western Reserve University.

Dr. John L. Gillin, who has been assistant professor of economics and sociology at the State University of Iowa, has been promoted to a full professorship in the same institution.

Professor W. H. Glasson who has had charge of Professor Jenk's work at Cornell, during the latter's absence, returns to Trinity College.

Professor M. B. Hammond of the Ohio State University, who has leave of absence for the coming year, sails in September for New Zealand. He will spend most of the year there and in Australia studying the social and economic conditions and legislation of those countries, returning to America by way of Europe next summer.

Professor H. R. Hatfield of the University of California will be absent until December, spending most of his leave in Europe.

The honorary degree of LL.D. was conferred upon Mr. Frederick L. Hoffman, statistician of the Prudential Insurance Company of America, by Tulane University, New Orleans, on May 17th.

Mr. S. D. M. Hudson has accepted a position as instructor in political economy at Bryn Mawr.

Professor J. W. Jenks, who has been on sabbatical leave during the past year, will resume his academic duties at Cornell in the autumn.

Dr. Fayette A. McKenzie, associate professor of economics and sociology in the Ohio State University, has been granted leave of absence for the first half-year of 1911-12 in order that he may serve as special agent for the United States Census Bureau in charge of the compilation of the social and economic statistics of the Indians.

Professor Adolph Miller of the University of California will be absent on leave July to December, 1911.

Miss Esther Lowenthal has accepted a position as instructor in economics at Smith College.

Mr. John A. Morgan, who has recently had charge of Professor Glasson's work at Trinity College, has been appointed assistant professor of economics at Middlebury College.

Professor Paul S. Peirce, who has been assistant professor of political economy and sociology at the State University of Iowa, has been promoted to a full professorship in the same institution.

Dr. Frederic W. Roman has been appointed instructor in economics and sociology at Smith College during the coming year.

Dr. I. M. Rubinow has been appointed lecturer on social insurance in the New York School of Philanthropy. He has resigned his position as statistical expert of the United States Bureau of Labor, and will devote the major part of his time as chief statistician of the Ocean Accident and Guarantee Corporation.

Professor Rufus F. Sprague, recently of the University of Maine, has accepted a position at the Massachusetts Agricultural College, Amherst.

Mr. Frank T. Stockton, recently of Johns Hopkins University, has been appointed instructor in economics at the University of Rochester.

Professor Walter Sheldon Tower of the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, has resigned to accept a position in the University of Chicago.

Mr. J. R. Turner, for several years instructor in economics at Cornell University, has been promoted to the position of lecturer in economics in the same institution.

Professor U. G. Weatherly of the University of Indiana has been appointed by Governor Marshall as a member of the Commission on Industrial and Agricultural Education which was authorized by the legislature of 1911. The Commission is to prepare a report for the legislature of 1913.

Professor David Collin Wells of Dartmouth College, died June . . . Although especially devoted to sociological studies his interest was broad and extended into the field of economics. He had been a member of the American Economic Association since 1888. He was one of the executive committee of the American Sociological Society and an editor of the *American Journal of Sociology*.

The death is reported of Professor Emile Levasseur, Paris, at the age of eighty-two. M. Levasseur was elected honorary member of the American Economic Association in 1892. His activity in economic studies is well known to Americans. Among his writings are *L'or* (1885); *L'ouvrier*; *Histoire des classes ouvrières en France*; and *Histoire de commerce de la France*. He was appointed professor at the Collège de la France in 1868, and later at the Ecole Libre des Sciences Politiques.